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## SUBMISSION OF PETITION FOR REVIVAL

Docket Number:

074451.P127D6

First named inventor: Edward L. Schwartz

Application No.: 09/800,687

Art Unit: 2621

Filed: March 6, 2001

Examiner: Tran, Phuoc

Title: Memory and Apparatus for Performing Selective Quantization by Manipulation of Refinement Bits

Attention: Office of Petitions

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Commissioner for Patents

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Applicant(s) believe(s) that the above-identified application is being regarded by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) as abandoned. Accordingly, applicant(s) submit(s) herewith a Petition for Revival of An Application for Patent Abandoned for Failure to Notify the Office of a Foreign or International Filing in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.137(f). The Petition fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(m) is submitted herewith. An extra copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Applicant(s) respectfully submit(s) that the USPTO has misinterpreted the requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 122, causing the needless filing of the subject Petition, and respectfully requests a refund under 37 CFR § 1.26 for the fees under 37 CFR § 1.17(m) mistakenly required to be paid. The refund can be credited to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. If a refund is not forthcoming, applicant(s) reserve(s) the right to request a refund for the Petition fee based on a subsequent finding by the USPTO or a court of proper jurisdiction that the requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 122 have been misinterpreted.

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The above-identified application became abandoned pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(iii) for failure to timely notify the Office of the filing of an application in a foreign country or under a multinational international treaty that requires publication of applications eighteen months after filing. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the forty-five (45) day period set in 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(iii).

PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.137(f), APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF  
THIS APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

## 1. Petition fee

- ☐ Small entity-fee \$\_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Other than small entity – fee \$1,300.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)).
- ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the indicated fees and credit any overpayments to  
Deposit Account No. 02-2666.
- ☒ Fee is enclosed.

## 2. Notice of Foreign or International Filing (35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(iii) and 37 CFR 1.213(c))

Subsequent to the filing of the above-identified application, an application was filed in another country, or under a multinational international treaty (e.g., filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty), that requires publication of applications eighteen months after filing. The filing date of the subsequently filed foreign or international application is December 11, 2001.

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## Complete if Known:

Application No. 09/800,687  
Filing Date March 6, 2001  
First Named Inventor Edward L. Schwartz  
Group Art Unit 2621  
Examiner Name Tran, Phuoc  
Attorney Docket No. 074451.P127D6

## METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:

Deposit Account Number 02-2666  
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☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed: ☒ Check  
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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	750	2001	375	Utility application filing fee	
1002	330	2002	165	Design application filing fee	
1003	520	2003	260	Plant filing fee	
1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional application filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	_____	- 20** = _____	X _____	= _____
Independent Claims	_____	- 3** = _____	X _____	= _____
Multiple Dependent	_____		_____	= _____

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Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)	
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204	42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1813	8,800	1813	8,800	Request for inter parties reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	1300.00
1501	1,300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	
1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	2809	375	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1814	110	2814	55	Statutory Disclaimer	
1810	750	2810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	750	2801	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
1504	300	1504	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal pub.	
1505	300	1505	300	Publication fee for republication	
1803	130	1803	130	Request for voluntary publication or republication	
1808	130	1808	130	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) (except provisionals)	
1454	1,300	1454	1,300	Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority	

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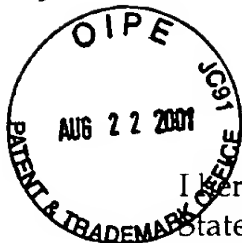
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING SELECTIVE  
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